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	Method	§		

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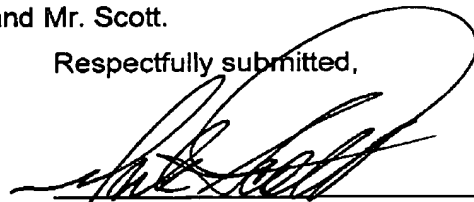
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Sir:

In a telephonic interview conducted on March 1, 2005, Examiner Tse Chen (USPTO) and Mark E. Scott (Reg. No. 43,100) discussed the outstanding restriction requirement. No claims or related art were discussed. No agreement was reached between the Examiner and Mr. Scott.

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